FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Pelizzon David R					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORTHOPEDIATRICS CORP [KIDS]								k all applica Director	all applicable)		ng Person(s) to Issuer	
(Last) C/O SQU	(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SQUADRON CAPITAL LLC			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2017								below)	give title	Other (s below)	респу		
18 HARTFORD AVE., PO BOX 223															=" (
(Street) GRANBY CT 06035			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Ind Line)	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
		Т	able I - No	n-Deriv	ative S	Securities Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	of, o	r Bene	ficially (Owned				
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				Securities Beneficiall Owned Fol	Beneficially Owned Following		Direct I ndirect I r. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 an			[instr. 4)
Common Stock			10/16	/2017		С		3,455,833(1)		A	(4)	3,458,379		1 1		See cootnote ⁽⁵⁾	
Common Stock 10/16			/2017		С		1,920,062 ⁽²⁾ A		(4)	5,378,441				See cootnote ⁽⁵⁾			
Common Stock 10/16/				/2017		P		10,000	10,000 ⁽³⁾ A		\$13	10,000]	D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)		Co	nsaction Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Securities Underl Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		derlying curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Benefic Owned Followin Reports		ve ies ially ng	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

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Series A Convertible

Preferred

Preferred Stock

Stock Series B Convertible

- 1. Represents shares received upon conversion of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock and the Series B Convertible Preferred Stock immediately prior to the completion of the Issuer's initial public offering.
- 2. Represents shares received upon conversion of a \$16.0 million preference payment, and approximately \$8.96 million of accrued and unpaid dividends, on the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock immediately prior to the completion of the Issuer's initial public offering.

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Title

Stock

Common

Date

- 3. Represents shares that were purchased through a directed share program in connection with the Issuer's initial public offering.
- 4. Each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock and Series B Convertible Preferred Stock converted into approximately 0.67 shares of Common Stock for no additional consideration immediately prior to the completion of the Issuer's initial public offering. In connection with the conversion of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock into Common Stock, a \$16.00 million preference payment, and approximately \$8.96 million of accrued and unpaid dividends, on the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock converted into 1,920,062 shares of Common Stock for no additional consideration at a conversion price of \$13.00 per share (the initial public offering price of the Common Stock).
- 5. These shares are held by Squadron Capital LLC ("Squadron"). As the President and a member of the Managing Committee of Squadron, the reporting person may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of these shares. The reporting person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. The inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed to be an admission of beneficial ownership for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ Daniel J. Gerritzen, Attorney-10/16/2017 in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Amount or Number of

670,000

2,785,833

\$0

\$0

Shares

Date

Transaction(s)

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(Instr. 4)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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